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**Title** : MAGNETIC STRIPE AUTHENTICATION AND VERIFICATION SYSTEM

**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

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Attached are two copies of a proposed Certificate of Correction to correct an error appearing in the above-referenced patent. Applicants filed a Petition to Correct Inventorship Under 37 CFR 1.324 which was granted on March 3, 2005 to add the suffix "Jr." to inventor, Robert S. DeLand (Robert S. DeLand, Jr.) and add Robert E. Morley, Jr. as an additional inventor. However, the issued patent does not reflect the changes in inventorship. The error is identified in detail in the proposed certificate, and the corresponding text in the application is located as follows:

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Approval of this certificate is respectfully requested. Although it is believed that no fee is required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or overpayment to Deposit Account 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any credit or charge to our Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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